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Interview Summary

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Date of Interview: 21 July 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 26.

Identification of prior art discussed: Yamashita et al. (USPN 7,004,610).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative has called to question the interpretation of the prior art reference regarding claims 1 and 16 (e.g., "the completely closed spaces being formed in both the first member and in the second member"). Also, obviousness/motivation statement of 35 U.S.C. 103(a) was further discussed regarding claim 16..

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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